

ROOSEVELT AXE SWINGING HIGH

Official Washington in a Flurry on Eve of General Decapitation of Office-Holders.

MOODY WILL STAY IN CABINET

Other Heads of Departments Will Probably Remain. Hitchcock May Go.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.) WASHINGTON D. C., November 21.—Official Washington, which is equivalent to saying Republican Washington—that portion of it which is not protected by the civil service regulations, is in a flurry and a state of consternation, over the definite statement emanating from the White House, that there will be a general decapitation of Republican office-holders throughout the country after the 4th of March. It is believed that there is a fixed purpose in the mind of the President to replace all the appointees of President McKinley with men of his own selection. Indeed, there is practically no doubt that he will take action of this character.

It is understood that when Mr. Roosevelt made his announcement the day after the election, that he would not accept another nomination, the fear arose in the minds of Republicans who were in offices not under the protection of the civil service law, that he might think that eight years of service of office was enough for any man in the government service. Their fears are fully justified.

It is said that the President has refrained from removing any of the appointees of Mr. McKinley except for cause. But now that he has about served out the term for which he does not expect to be re-elected, he is expected to have his own selection, which he thinks he has a right to do so clear that none can question it. He will do it. The shake up will possibly extend to postmasters of the third class, and in some cases to those of the fourth class marshals, district attorneys, collectors, customs officers, in fact about all classes of officials who are not protected by the civil service laws.

Moody to Stay in Cabinet.
It was announced at the White House this afternoon that Attorney-General Moody had reconsidered his determination to leave the Cabinet and would remain at the head of the Department of Justice for the next four years, it is presumed.

The decision of Attorney-General Moody readers it reasonably certain that the heads of six of the great Executive departments of the government have been determined by the President for the next administration.

Mr. Hay will continue at the head of the State Department; Mr. Taft at the head of the War Department; Mr. McCall at the head of the Department of Commerce and Labor; Mr. Wilson at the head of the Agricultural Department, and National Chairman George B. Cortelyou will be Postmaster-General after the 4th of next March. It is expected also that Mr. Shaw will continue as Secretary of the Treasury, and Mr. Morton as Secretary of the Navy; but as to those two, no definite information is obtainable. A change is expected in the Department of the Interior, but Secretary Hitchcock has not yet been publicly whether he desires to retire or not.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY AMATEUR ATHLETIC UNION

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, November 21.—At the annual meeting of the Amateur Athletic Union, in this city, to-day, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, James B. Macabe, of the New England Association; vice-presidents, John J. O'Connor, of the Western Association; John H. Stoll, of the North American Gymnastic Union; Charles H. Pym, of the Atlantic Association; and Gustavus Brown, of the South Atlantic Association; secretary and treasurer, James E. Sullivan, of the Metropolitan Association. The South Atlantic Association was represented by Albert Mott, Dr. B. M. Hopkinson, T. E. Straube, Gustavus Brown and Washington Bowe.

To Settle Exceptions.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., Nov. 21.—District Attorney A. E. Holton left to-day for Charlotte, N. C., to settle the exceptions before Judge Keller, of the United States Circuit Court, in the case of William E. B. Bessie, president of the defunct Asheville Bank, who was tried at Charlotte in June, convicted and sentenced to the Atlanta penitentiary for a term of seven years.

The defendant appealed to the Circuit Court of Appeals, and the hearing will be held in Richmond in February.

Mr. Bessie is now out on bond.

Baptized His Grandson.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) LEXINGTON, VA., Nov. 21.—Rev. George H. Ray, D. D., a former pastor of Centenary Church of this city, preached to a large audience at Eagle Rock yesterday, and during the service baptized his grandson, S. Chambers Ray, Jr.

Dr. Ray delivered at night an address on missions. The Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was crowded at both services.

Southern Bowling League.

(By Associated Press.) MACON, GA., Nov. 21.—Unless plans at present on foot in regard to a bowling league will be formed by eight southern cities within the next few days, consisting of Atlanta, Macon, Brunswick, Savannah, Columbus, Tampa, Jacksonville and Charleston. League games will be played in each city once a week, on Thursdays. There will be three prizes—one for the city with the highest average for the season, one for the highest individual score and one for the highest game rolled during the season.

It is expected that the opening matches will be fought on December 1st.

Mountjoy—Norman.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Nov. 21.—Mr. P. M. Mountjoy, of Stafford county, and Miss Ella M. Norman, of Prince William county, were married in the latter county last Thursday at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. Robert Swift.

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FOOT-BALL MEN ENJOY OYSTER ROAST

Because of Their Fine Playing Saturday They Are Granted a Holiday.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WILLIAMSBURG, VA., Nov. 21.—The William and Mary foot-ball team enjoyed an old-fashioned oyster roast at Blaker's on York River, to-day, given by citizens of Williamsburg.

Miss Virginia B. Brathwaite left to-day for a week's visit to Baltimore. Mr. W. C. L. Tullaferris, of the college board of visitors, left last evening for his home in Hampton. He came up Saturday to visit friends and to see the foot-ball game between William and Mary and Randolph-Macon.

The faculty of William and Mary College granted a holiday to the students to-day in recognition of the excellent playing of the foot-ball team Saturday.

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Mr. Julius Sytle, Long Prominent in the Mercantile World, Is No More.

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Had Suffered Much in Recent Years, But Had Grown Better Recently.

Mr. Julius Sytle, one of the most prominent dry goods merchants of this city and long and widely known and popular citizen, died rather suddenly at 8:30 o'clock last night at his home, No. 201 West Grace Street, having been in his usual health up to yesterday morning.

Mr. Sytle had suffered a good deal from time to time in the last few years, though this fall he had been better than usual, and was at his store every day. Yesterday morning he came down to breakfast as usual, and contemplated going to his business, when on account of a sudden attack, he had to be assisted back to his room. His physician was called, but the patient grew steadily worse until the end came at the hour named.

Half a Century.
Mr. Sytle was born at Kesteria, Darmstadt, Germany, sixty-three years ago, and came to America about fifty years ago. He was a young man of popularity and industry, and soon made his way to this city as a merchant. From that time Mr. Sytle added to his business, and his sterling qualities and fair dealings with the public enabled him to become one of the leading dry goods and notion houses on Broad Street as a result of his labors.

Mr. Sytle was a true friend, a kind-hearted and thoughtful husband and father, and withal a man much beloved in the community.

Large Family.
In his early life Mr. Sytle married Miss Caroline Greenwald, the only daughter of the late A. Greenwald, of this city, and she preceded him to the grave by some six years.

Mr. Sytle is survived by one brother, Mr. Shonon Sytle, of this city, and the following children: Mr. Samuel Sytle, Mr. Charles Sytle, Mr. Isaac Sytle, Mr. John Sytle, Mr. William Sytle, Mr. Ben Sytle, and Mr. Lee Sytle, all of Richmond.

The funeral arrangements have not been completed, and will be announced to-day.

MAR USE PARALYZED AND UNABLE TO SPEAK

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ROME, November 21.—The condition of the Marquis Des Monstiers, who recently renounced the Catholic faith, is said to be very serious. The Marquis has suffered a severe stroke of paralysis, which has so affected the vocal chords that she is unable to make herself understood when she tries to speak, and it is also stated she is unable to hear. No one is permitted to visit the Marquis at present, the attending physician, Dr. Brook, having given orders to this effect.

Fall River Situation.

(By Associated Press.) FALL RIVER, MASS., Nov. 21.—The cotton mills which were run last week continued today, and some of them reported considerable gains, particularly in the ring, spinning and other departments in which there are no unions. A few which started last week and shut down opened at the usual time to-day, but closed at noon.

Old Couple in Runaway.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CORN, VA., Nov. 21.—When Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor, of "Powhatan," near here, were returning home from a postoffice late Saturday afternoon, their horse ran off and threw them violently to the ground, inflicting very painful wounds upon the venerable couple. The buggy was completely wrecked.

Woman's Record for Shooting.

(By Associated Press.) ST. LOUIS, Nov. 21.—By breaking 297 two and a quarter-inch composition discs out of a possible 1,000, from a twenty-five foot rise at the World's Fair, Mrs. A. Topperwell to-day established a woman's record for record free shooting. The time required for the shoot was 1 hour and forty minutes.

Oldest Voter in America.

Patrick Keerwin, of Seward, Westmoreland county, Pa., alleged to be the oldest voter in the United States, cast his twenty-first presidential ballot for Parker and Davis. He is one hundred and seven years, eight months and one day old, and has taken the keen interest in politics to-day as he did fifty years ago.

Unconscious Self-Praise.

Professor Ladd, instructor in psychology at Yale, while lecturing before the members of the senior class a short time ago, unconsciously "gave himself away" in this fashion: "Let me illustrate that point, one day a celebrated psychologist, a world renowned psychologist, I might say, was walking down a street when he met a little girl and said to her: 'What the professor said was drowned in the outburst of laughter from the students.'

Slaydon—Riddell.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Nov. 21.—Mr. J. G. Slaydon and Miss Lulu Riddell, of Louisiana county, were married Thursday at Episcopal Church, at Oakland, in that county.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Susan Rawlings.
Mrs. Susan Rawlings died suddenly of heart failure at the residence of Miss Mary C. Rawlings, 212 East 2nd Street, where she boarded, about 6:30 o'clock last night.

Mrs. Rawlings was seventy years of age, and before her marriage to the late E. G. Rawlings, of this city. She was Miss Susan Porter, of Orange county, Va. Rawlings is survived by two sons—Louis, a traveling salesman, and Edward G. Rawlings, of Wilson, N. C. She was an aunt of Mr. W. H. Tatum and Mrs. P. H. Hill, of Richmond.

The funeral arrangements will be made under the direction of the Orange county, who were wired for last night.

Miss Hulce Dead.
Miss Lucy Plummer Hulce, for a number of years teacher in the public schools of Richmond, died in Charlottesville Sunday night of heart disease.

Miss Hulce had gone to take much needed rest, and was with friends at the time of her death.

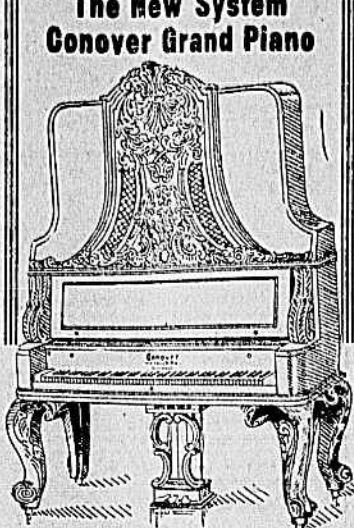
The body arrived in Richmond at 3:30 P. M. yesterday and was taken to the home of her brother, Captain E. P. Hulce, of this city, at No. 1014 North 1st Street. The funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon from the Second Baptist Church, and interment will be in Hollywood Cemetery.

Robert Catesby Jones.
Mr. Robert Catesby Jones, of Richmond, died yesterday at Millersville, Ga. In the fifty-sixth year of his age. Mr. Jones was the son of the late Rev. Thomas H. Jones, of Queen county, a well known family of that name, of Gloucester county. Most of his life had been in health for several years and some months ago went to Millersville in hope of finding there renewed strength. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Mary Brooke Smyth, of Petersburg, Va., and also by two sons and one daughter. The sons are Mr. Robert C. Jones, Jr., of this city, and Mr. Brooke Newell Jones, of Raleigh, N. C. The daughter is Miss

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Lola C. Jones. The interment will be in Hollywood at an hour to be announced later.

Major Thomas C. Elder.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) STAUNTON, VA., Nov. 21.—Major Thomas C. Elder, the leading member of this bar, and senior member of the firm of Elder and Elder, died at his home here yesterday morning with pneumonia, aged seventy years. His illness lasted only about a week, beginning with a case of grippe, but developing into pneumonia about twenty-four hours before his death.

Major Elder was a native of Lunenburg county, Va., and for many years was a partner of General Roger A. Pryor, with whom he practiced law in the city of Petersburg. For the year 1901-'02 he was president of the Virginia State Bar Association.

Major Elder enlisted in the Confederate army as a private in the beginning of the war, rising shortly afterwards to the position of major, and served throughout the war, surrendering at Appomattox with the remnant of Lee's army.

Major Elder was one of the most prominent lay members in the Episcopal Church in Virginia. As a lawyer he was ranked among the ablest in the state. He is survived by four daughters and two sons. His wife, who was a Miss May, and who died last winter, was a sister-in-law of Major James H. Dooley, of Richmond, Va.

Miss Bessie Fleet.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WALKERTON, VA., November 21.—Miss Bessie Fleet died at Greenmount, the residence of her brother, Judge J. W. Fleet, Sunday. For seven years she had taught at the Miller Normal School, in Albemarle county. She was a very cultured lady, gentle, refined and greatly beloved by a large circle of friends and relatives.

Mrs. Delia Tayloe.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Nov. 21.—The remains of Mrs. Delia Tayloe, formerly of this city, were brought here yesterday from Danville, where she died at the home of her daughter, after a long illness, aged 50 years. The funeral will be at four o'clock to-morrow afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John G. Williams, Commonwealth's Attorney of Orange county. She is survived by six children, three sons and three daughters.

Miss Bessie Fleet.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) ELLIS, VA., Nov. 21.—Miss Bessie Fleet died to-night at the home of Judge William Fleet, King and Queen county, after a long illness, aged 50 years. The funeral will be at four o'clock to-morrow afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John G. Williams, Commonwealth's Attorney of Orange county. She is survived by six children, three sons and three daughters.

Major John C. Lewis.
(By Associated Press.) AUSTIN, TEXAS, Nov. 21.—Major John

C. Lewis, traveling passenger agent of the Iron Mountain Railroad, is dead in this city, after an illness of three weeks. He was 74 years old, and was one of the oldest passenger agents in the United States, having been connected with the Iron Mountain Railroad for the past thirty years.

Mrs. Martha Boyd.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Nov. 21.—Mrs. Martha Boyd, widow of B. J. Boyd, of Loudoun county, died last week at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. H. S. Daniel, in that county, at an advanced age. She is survived by two sons and six daughters.

John S. Chinn.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Nov. 21.—Mr. John S. Chinn, a well known citizen of Stafford county, died yesterday at his home, near White Oak, in Stafford county, of typhoid fever, aged 40 years. He is survived by his widow, mother and three brothers, of the latter being Mr. J. M. Chinn, of this city.

Mrs. Julia M. Nelson.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Nov. 21.—Mrs. Julia M. Nelson, widow of Captain D. M. Nelson, of Middlesex county, died a few days ago at Crisfield, Md., aged 89 years.

Louis Palma Di Censola.

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—General Louis Palma Di Censola, director and trustee of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, died suddenly to-day from an attack of acute indigestion. He was 72 years of age.

Deaths Reported Yesterday.

Deaths reported yesterday to the Board of Health were:

WHITE.
Mary M. Pincus, female, aged forty-two years, No. 1222 East Main Street. Willie Ann Abrahams, female, aged fifty-two years, No. 247 N. Street. John C. Roach, male, aged fifty-seven years, and seven months, No. 307 North Twenty-eighth Street. William Jones, male, aged eighty-six years, Retreat for Sick. J. E. Ferguson, Jr., male, aged three years, four months and three days, No. 81 East Clay Street. Solma Sims, female, aged eighty-two years, Almahouse. Julia M. Slodd, female, No. 1515 West Clay Street.

COLOR.
George Payne, male, aged one year, and one month, No. 600 Calhoun Street. Paul White, male, aged fifty-five years, No. 1214 St. Paul Street. Alice Taylor, female, aged twenty-seven years, Philadelphia. Infant Coleman, female, aged three months and one day, Heurlock county. Louisa Weston, female, aged fifty-four years, No. 2117 G Street.

DEATHS.

BRIDGE.—Entered into rest at 7:30 P. M., November 21st, at the residence of her sister, Mrs. J. M. Macon, 206 East Cary Street, Miss MARY E. BRIDGE, in her seventy-seventh year.

Notice of services later.

FERGUSON.—Died, at his father's residence, No. 906 E. Clay Street, Sunday morning, November 20th, at 10 o'clock, JACK, only son of John E. and Edna L. Ferguson, aged three years and four months.

The funeral took place from the above residence Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Interment at Oakwood.

HULCE.—Died, in Charlottesville, on the night of the 20th, Miss LUCY HULCE, sister of Chief of Police E. P. Hulce.

Remains will be carried to 1407 Hanover Street. Funeral from Second Baptist Church TUESDAY, 22d, 3 P. M. Notice of services later.

JONES.—Died, at Millersville, Ga., November 21st, 1904, ROBERT CATESBY JONES, of Richmond, Va., in the fifty-sixth year of his age.

Notice of funeral later.

KENNEDY.—Died, Monday, November 21st, MARGARET, infant daughter of John J. and Mary E. Kennedy, aged four months.

Funeral to take place from the residence of her parents, 507 Louisiana Street, Fulton, TO-DAY (Tuesday), November 22d, at 3 P. M. Friends of the family invited to attend.

VEITCH.—Died, on the 21st instant, at 10:30 A. M., TREVILLIAN VEITCH, in his 84th year, of age, at the residence of his son, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Veitch, aged four months, suffering with pneumonia.

Funeral will be held at the residence in Barton Street, corner Monticello Avenue and Miner Street, on the 22d INSTANT at 3:30 P. M.

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